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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR
STRIPPING SULFUR-CONTAINING
COMPOUNDS FROM HYDROCARBON
FEED STOCK IN HYDROREFINING OF
PETROLEUM DISTILLATES

Examiner: W. D. Griffin

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION (37 C.F.R. SECTION 1.116)

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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated April 25, 2005, the period for response being extended one month to August 25, 2005, the following amendments and Remarks are respectfully submitted in the file of the above-identified application.

This response includes:

Amended Claim Set; and
Remarks.